Prices-Current (*Retail*) of Food Grains, and Salt in the Province of Mysore during the fortnight ending the 15th May 1898.

Quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas, *vide* Government of India No. 1—21, dated 10th February 1874.

Fortnight ending—	No.	District.	Wheat.						Barley.						Rice, best sort.						Rice, common.					
			Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.	
15th May 1898.			Seers.	Chittaks	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.
	1	Bengalore ...	7	5	7	5	7	0	6	5	6	5	6	12	6	13	6	13	6	12	7	5	7	5	7	4
	2	Kolar ...	8	0	8	0	7	8	7	8	7	8	7	0	7	0	7	0	7	0	8	0	8	0	8	0
	3	Tumkur ...	7	0	7	0	8	0	7	0	7	0	7	8	7	8	7	0	7	12	8	8	8	0	8	0
	4	Mysore ...	8	0	8	0	6	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	6	7	6	8	0	8	6	8	11	9	4
	5	Hassan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	7	0	7	8	9	0	9	0	8	0	10	0	10	0	9	0
	6	Shimoga ...	8	6	8	6	5	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	6	9	3	8	0	12	0	11	9	10	8
	7	Kadur ...	8	0	7	0	6	0	9	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	9	0	8	0	12	0	13	0	11	0
	8	Chitaldrug ...	9	8	9	0	9	0	9	0	9	0	8	0	7	8	7	8	8	0	9	8	8	8	9	0
		Average ...	8	0	7	13	6	15	8	2	7	8	7	7	7	11	7	14	7	14	9	5	9	4	9	0

Fortnight ending—	No.	District.	Javar or Cholam, (*Sorghum Vulgare.*)						Bajra or Cumbu, *Pennisetum typhoideum.*					
			Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.	
15th May 1898.			S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.
	1	Bengalore ...	15	12	15	12	12	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Kolar ...	...	...	...	...	8	0	18	0	18	0	10	0
	3	Tumkur ...	...	...	...	0	11	8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4	Mysore ...	25	0	25	0	14	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5	Hassan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Shimoga ...	19	3	21	0	15	12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7	Kadur ...	20	0	18	0	12	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Chitaldrug ...	22	0	22	0	16	0	16	0	16	0	15	0
		Average ...	20	6	19	10	12	12	17	0	17	0	12	8

Quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas, *vide* Government of India No. 1—21, dated 10th February 1874.

Fortnight ending—	No.	District.	Marua or Ragi, *Eleusine Corocana:*						Kangni or Kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria Italica.*)						Gram, Chonna, Chola Kadale or Sunage (*Cicer Arietinum.*)						Indian corn or Maize (*Zea Mays.*)					
			Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.	
15th May 1898.			Seers.	Chittaks	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.
	1	Bangalore ...	17	13	17	13	19	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	0	7	5	7	8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Kolar ...	20	0	20	0	21	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	0	8	0	8	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3	Tumkur ...	24	0	22	0	22	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	8	7	0	8	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4	Mysore ...	20	0	19	12	22	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	11	7	11	9	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5	Hassan ...	24	0	24	0	25	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	0	7	0	9	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Shimoga ...	24	7	25	3	18	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8	8	6	8	6	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7	Kadur ...	20	0	20	0	20	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	0	7	0	9	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Chitaldrug ...	24	0	24	0	18	0	20	0	20	0	20	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Average ...	21	12	21	10	20	11	20	0	20	0	15	5	8	7	7	9	8	6	...	...	...	...	8	0

Fortnight ending—	No.	District.	Arhar or Thur, Cadjan Pea. (*Cajanus Indicus.*)						Salt.					
			Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.	
15th May 1898.			S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.
	1	Bangalore ...	11	0	11	0	11	8	9	15	9	15	10	0
	2	Kolar ...	11	0	11	0	12	0	10	0	10	0	9	8
	3	Tumkur ...	11	8	10	8	12	0	11	0	10	8	10	8
	4	Mysore ...	10	8	10	8	12	4	10	12	10	12	10	8
	5	Hassan ...	12	0	11	0	12	0	10	0	10	0	9	0
	6	Shimoga ...	12	10	13	10	...	...	10	8	11	0	10	8
	7	Kadur ...	11	0	11	0	10	0	9	0	9	0	9	0
	8	Chitaldrug ...	12	0	12	0	12	0	8	0	8	0	9	0
		Average ...	11	7	11	5	11	16	9	14	9	14	9	12

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	Tiptur ...	..	30	...										
	Pavagada ...	...	40	...	5	2	11	2	47					
	Kunigal ...	1	83	...	80	3	87	5	18					
	Koratagere ...	..	...	...	47	4	30	2	43					
	Turuvekere ...	...	...	...	45	1	22	3	95					
	Huliyar ...	...	..	...	82	2	4	4	83					
ore ...	Mysore ...	...	60	...	67	3	36	6	3	Rice 9½ 9.	Well.	Standing crops, *i. e.*, car paddy, sugar-cane, black and green grams, ragi, jola togari, tadaguni, horse gram and castor-oil seeds are reported to be in good condition.	Generally good.	Generally good.	Cattle healthy. Water a fodder available.
	Chamrajnagar ...	...	42	...	72	12	52	6	38	Ragi 20 20.					
	Seringapatam ...	1	48	...	25	6	17	3	88	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Hunsur ...	*	*	...	60	*	*	5	80	Horse-					
	Yedatore ...	2	41	...	50	7	54	3	94	gram 13 12½.					
	Heggaddevankote.	...	50	...	32	7	15	5	55	(*Cicer arietinum.*)					
	Gundlupet ...	...	10	...	91	5	62	4	85						
	Nanjangud ...	...	61	...	55	5	27	4	70						
	T. Narsipur ...	...	23	..	...	5	58	7	11						
	Malvalli ...	*	*	...	42	*	*	4	45						
	Mandya ...	2	50	...	75	6	50	5	33						
	Krishnarajpete ...	2	73	...	37	5	31	4	31						
	Nagamangala ...	2	32	...	44	6	74	4	41						
san ...	Hassan ...	1	90	...	50	7	8	5	22	Rice 8½ to 10½ 8½ to 10.	Well.	Standing, *i. e.*, paddy and ragi in Hassan, Manjarabad, and Arkalgud taluks, paddy and sugar-cane in Arsikere and Channarayapatna taluks, are reported to be in good condition. Paddy and ragi are being sown in Belur and Holé-Narsipur taluks.	Favorable.	Do	Water and fodder sufficie
	Manjarabad ...	...	91	...	72	8	19	4	65	Ragi 24 24.					
	Arkalgud ...	1	39	...	39	5	89	4	67	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Belur ...	...	50	...	84	5	3	4	88	Horse-					
	Channarayapatna.	2	84	1	11	7	95	4	41	gram 11 11½.					
	Arsikere ...	...	61	...	90	3	35	6	59	(*Cicer arietinum.*)					
	Holé-Narsipur ...	1	51	...	78	3	50	5	66						
	Alur sub-taluk ..	*	*	...	20	*	*	3	65						
moga ...	Shimoga ..	...	49	...	46	4	12	3	38	Rice 10 to 13 10 to 13.	Well.	Sugar-cane arecanut and paddy are in good condition. Paddy is also being sown in parts.	Fair.	Fair.	Cattle healthy. Water fodder available.
	Channagiri ...	...	25	...	47	2	28	2	64	Ragi 13 to 32 18 to 33.					
	Honnali ...	...	20	...	35	4	54	2	4	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Shikarpur ...	...	61	..	25	5	50	...	91	Jola 19 to 30 19 to 30.					
	Sorab ...	..	97	...	17	5	97	2	66	(*Sorghum vulgare.*)					
	Sagar ...	2	55	...	78	7	55	2	7						
	Nagar (Kallarkatte).	..	52	...	20	4	44	2	6						
	Tirthahalli ...	...	86	...	52	2	93	2	90						
	Kumsi ...	2	15	...	17	6	97	2	12						
dur ...	Chikmagalur ...	...	50	1	99	4	62	7	78	Rice 7 to 13 8 to 13.	Well.	Standing crops, *i. e.*, sugar-cane, arecanut, and coffee are reported to be in good condition. Paddy, ragi, gingelly, javar, &c., are being sown in parts of Chikmagalur and Kadur taluks.	Generally good.	Good.	Cattle healthy. Water fodder available.
	Kadur ...	1	62	...	4	3	63	3	2	Ragi 18 to 24 19 to 26.					
	Tarikere ..	...	13	...	81	4	45	3	45	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Koppa ...	1	23	...	30	6	36	1	45	Horse-					
	Mudgere ...	...	28	...	69	5	59	4	7	gram 10 to 12 11 to 12.					
	Yedahalli ..	...	15	...	40	3	60	1	57	(*Cicer arietinum.*)					
	Sringeri ...	...	32	...	20	2	91	1	42						
italdrug...	Chitaldrug ...	...	62	...	32	3	67	4	53	Rice 8 to 12 8 to 12.	Well.	Standing crops are in good condition. Paddy was harvested. Jola, sesamum, horse-gram and little millet were sown in some parts of the district.	Do	Fair.	Fodder and water availa
	Challakere ...	8	75	...	54	3	36	2	45	Ragi 22 to 36 22 to 36.					
	Hiriyur ...	...	85	...	62	5	15	3	69	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Holalkere ...	...	7	1	13	1	73	2	13	Jola 22 to 25 22 to 25.					
	Davangere ...	...	30	...	96	3	18	1	93	(*Sorghum vulgare.*)					
	Molakalmuru ...	...	40	...	30	2	90	2	5						
	Jagalur ...	...	65	...	32	4	51	1	75						
	Hosdurga ...	...	17	1	62	4	95	2	76						
	Haribar ...	1	38	...	90	3	96	2	74						

* Reports not received.

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